IN THE SPECIFICATION

The specification as amended below with replacement paragraphs shows added text with underlining and deleted text with strikethrough.

[0004] FIG. 1 shows a conventional wall-mounted type microwave oven. As illustrated in FIG. 1, the conventional wall-mounted type microwave oven includes a cabinet 10 which defines an external appearance of the microwave oven. The cabinet 10 is partitioned into a cooking cavity 11 and a machine room 12.

[0005] An exhaust passage 13 is defined around lower portions and rear portions of the cooking cavity 11 and the machine room 12 to guide exhaust gas or smoke produced from an oven range (not shown) placed below the cabinet 10, so as to discharge the exhaust gas or smoke to the outside of the microwave oven. A fan motor 14 and two exhaust fans 15 are provided at an upper-rear portion of the cabinet 1 to suck the exhaust gas or smoke guided along the exhaust passage 13 and discharge the exhaust gas or smoke to the outside. In this case, the exhaust fans 15 are mounted to both ends of the fan motor 14. The exhaust passage 13 forms a path which is partitioned from the cooking cavity 11 and the machine room 12.

[0008] The stirrer 30 includes a fan 31 and a motor 32. The fan 31 has a plurality of blades, and the motor 32 rotates the fan 31. Thus, where the fan 31 is rotated by the motor 32, the microwaves are dispersed in several directions in the cooking cavity 11. The fan 31 is provided at a position inside the wave guide 24. The motor 32 is mounted to an outer surface of the wave guide 24, and is axially connected to the fan 31.

[0022] FIG. 3 shows a wall-mounted type microwave oven according to an embodiment of the present invention. As shown in FIG. 3, the wall-mounted type microwave oven includes a cabinet 50 which defines an external appearance of the microwave oven. A rear plate 51, side plates 52, a top plate 53, and a bottom plate 54 are assembled with each other to form the box-shaped cabinet 50. A cooking cavity 58 and a machine room 59 are provided in the cabinet 50 50-so as to be partitioned from each other.